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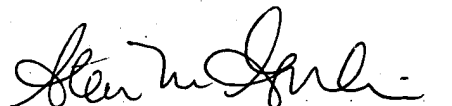
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) (copy enclosed) dated March 13, 2001, Applicant submits herewith a duly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the late declaration surcharge. Any additional fees due may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880, or any overpayment may be credited thereto. A duplicate copy of this sheet is also appended hereto.

Respectfully submitted,



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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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